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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Group Art Unit: 2194

TITLE: MULTI-MODAL GENDER CLASSIFICATION USING SUPPORT
VECTOR MACHINES (SVMs)

FILED ELECTRONICALLY ON November 21, 2006

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents

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**REPLY AND AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111
TO EXAMINER'S ACTION MAILED AUGUST 21, 2006**

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed August 21, 2006, having a period for response set to expire on November 21, 2006. The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2;

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 5 of this paper;

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 6 of this paper;

Remarks begin on page 11 of this paper.